

## House Resolution No. 4182

**Whereas**, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives hold in high esteem those Show-Me State couples who have admirably demonstrated the strength, depth, and vitality of their love through the longevity of their marital vows; and

**Whereas**, seventy years ago Leo Gregory took the lovely hand of his beautiful bride, the former Audrey LaMaster, as the two pledged their troth during a solemn wedding ceremony which was performed on July 5, 1935; and

**Whereas**, seven decades later Leo and Audrey Gregory of Guilford observed their Seventieth Wedding Anniversary with a festive gathering of family members and friends on July 5, 2005; and

**Whereas**, the marital union of Leo and Audrey Gregory has been richly blessed down through the years with the love and affection of their children, Carolee Nelson of Ravenwood, Galen Gregory of Guilford, and Rhonda Tobin of Guilford; four grandchildren; and one great-grandchild; and

**Whereas**, Leo Gregory developed and maintained an excellent reputation as a farmer who always raises beautiful garden produce; and

**Whereas**, Audrey Gregory likewise attained renown as a piano teacher who also helped on the farm; and

**Whereas**, Leo and Audrey Gregory used the occasion of their Seventieth Wedding Anniversary to reflect on the many changes which have occurred in their lives, in society, and around the world since the blessed day they became husband and wife; and

**Whereas**, it is fitting and proper that the Missouri House of Representatives pauses in its diverse daily activities in order to recognize such stellar citizens as Leo and Audrey Gregory during momentous times in their lives:

**Now, therefore, be it resolved** that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-third General Assembly, join unanimously to applaud the long, productive marriage engaged in by Leo and Audrey Gregory and to convey to them this legislative body's heartiest congratulations and our best wishes as they celebrate their Seventieth Wedding Anniversary; and

**Be it further resolved** that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution in honor of Leo and Audrey Gregory of Guilford, Missouri.

Offered by \_\_\_\_\_  
Representative Brad Lager  
District No. 4

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives,  
Ninety-third General Assembly, First Regular Session, do  
certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House  
Resolution No. 4182, adopted August 15, 2005.

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Rod Jetton, Speaker